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STATISTICS ON CYPRUS

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Land Use	Differences Between Map and Census Data						Average Size of Holdings (donums)		District	Turkish-owned Land as Percent of Total Landholdings	
			Map		Census						
	Sq MI	Percent	Sq MI	Percent of Island Total	Sq MI	Percent of Island Total	Greek	Turkish			
Agricultural	2,340	65.5	Irrigated	546.7 a/	15.3	307.4	8.6	43.7	63.4	Kyrenia	19.5
Grazing	314.5	8.8	Nonirrigated	1,277.6	35.8	1,362.5	36.1	54.2	77.1	Pamagusta	17.5
Forest	669.5	18.7	Total cropland	1,824.3	51.1	1,669.9	46.7	38.2	61.6	Nicosia	19.6
								57.6	80.8	Larnaca	29.3
Towns, roads, etc.	248	7.0						32.4	58.7	Limassol	16.2
								41.2	48.5	Paphos	23.7
Total	3,572	100.0						Averages for island as a whole, not by individual districts			
								42.8	62.4		20.4

a. Map shows 239.5 sq mi or 78 percent more irrigation facilities; however, only 51.7 percent of the area with irrigation facilities in 1960 was actually irrigated. In 1960, 550.6 sq mi of cropland were fallow, one-third of this amount having been fallow for more than 5 consecutive years.

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Cumulative Totals, by Zone

Size of Zones

	Line 1	Line 2	Line 3	Line 4
Area in square miles	259.75	353.11	462.92	811.53
Percent of the Island	7.3	9.9	13.0	22.7

Land Utilization a/

Type of Land Utilisation	Line 1		Line 2		Line 3		Line 4	
	Sq. Mi	Percent of Zone	Sq. Mi	Percent of Zone	Sq. Mi	Percent of Zone	Sq. Mi	Percent of Zone
Total irrigated cropland	9.38	3.6	19.57	5.5	37.6	8.1	230.0 b/	28.34
Trees and perennials on irrigated cropland	5.77	2.2	6.22	1.8	7.76	1.7	27.53	3.4
Total nonirrigated cropland	146.09	56.2	190.69	54.0	223.11	48.2	307.2 c/	37.9
Trees and perennials on nonirrigated cropland	63.06	21.3	74.58	21.1	79.57	17.2	93.54	11.5
Trees and perennials on land not otherwise cropped	1.43	0.6	10.59	3.0	12.78	2.8	13.81	1.7
Horticulture	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.16	0.1

a. Land use figures do not total 100 percent or equal the area of a designated zone because land devoted to some types of use, such as scrub forest, swamps, and unproductive land, has not been measured.

b. 230.0 square miles equal 42 percent of the irrigated land of Cyprus, according to map.

c. 307.2 square miles equal 24 percent of the nonirrigated cropland of Cyprus, according to map.

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Population

	<u>Line 1</u>		<u>Line 2</u>		<u>Line 3</u>		<u>Line 4</u>	
	<u>No. of Villages</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>No. of Villages</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>No. of Villages</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>No. of Villages</u>	<u>Population</u>
Settlement Total	31	19,170	38	27,584	55	38,102	122	83,030
Greek Total	---	12,798	---	20,017	---	27,461	---	63,227
Turk Total	---	6,380	---	7,567	---	10,641	---	19,803
All-Turkish Villages	11	4,725	13	5,468	21	7,380	35	12,225
All-Greek Villages	10	4,594	12	6,499	16	9,543	51	32,841
Mixed Villages								
Turk majority (Greek minority)	3	881 (412)	3	881 (412)	5	1,974 (501)	10	3,337 (1,125)
Greek majority (Turk minority)	7	7,792 (774)	10	13,106 (1,218)	13	17,617 (1,287)	26	29,201 (4,241)

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